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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

Jocelyn G. Boyd, Chief Clerk & Administrator  
**Public Service Commission of South Carolina**  
101 Executive Center Drive  
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc.  
Petition to Modify Rate Schedule 242 (Small General Service-Motor Fuel)  
Docket No: 2010-333-G

Dear Ms. Boyd:

The Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has received, and had the opportunity to review and discuss with Company staff the above referenced filing made by Piedmont Natural Gas Company, Inc. ("Piedmont" or "PNG") dated September 27, 2010. Piedmont requests limited modifications of the above referenced Rate Schedule in order to clarify the applicability and character of service and to modify the billing terms related to service rendered at the Company's Premises pursuant to this Rate Schedule.

ORS has no objection to Piedmont's request for approval of the modification. Thank you for the opportunity to provide our comments in this matter.

Sincerely,

  
John W. Flitter

JWF/swh

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